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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: So et al.  
Title: Multi-Bit-Per-Cell Flash EEprom Memory with Refresh  
Application No.: 10/045,505 Conf. No.: 3147  
Examiner: David Lam Filing Date: October 18, 2001  
Docket No.: SNDK.176US3 Group Art Unit: 2818

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

The present Amendment, for which a 1-month extension is hereby requested, is responsive to the Official Action mailed on March 24, 2004. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.



July 26, 2004

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
- (3) Amendment (5 pages); and
- (4) Petition for Extension of Time (One-Month).



No additional fee is required.



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**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	Claims Remaining <u>After Amendment</u>		Highest No. Previously <u>Paid For</u>		Present <u>Extra</u>	<u>Rate</u>	Additional <u>Fee</u>	
Total Claims	12	Minus	23	=	0	x \$18.00	\$	0.00
Independent Claims	1	Minus	4	=	0	x \$86.00	\$	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee of _____ for the first filing of one or more multiple dependent claims per application						\$	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fee for Petition for Extension of Time (One-Month)						\$	\$110.00

**Total additional fee for this Amendment:**\$ \$110.00

Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.




Please charge \$110.00 for Petition for Extension of Time, any additional fees required and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 502664.

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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